## **EXHIBIT D**

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re:

Chapter 11

THE DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER,

Case No. 19-20905

Debtor.

NON-PARTY JEFF ANDERSON & ASSOCIATES, P.A.'S RESPONSES AND OBJECTIONS TO SUBPOENA BY THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Pursuant to Rules 26, 34 and 45 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (the "Federal Rules"), as made applicable herein by Rules 7026, 7034, 9014, and 9016 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), non-party Jeff Anderson & Associates, P.A. ("Respondent"), through its attorneys, Pryor Cashman LLP, submits the following responses and objections to the subpoena dated February 12, 2024 (the "Subpoena") served upon it by Continental Insurance Company ("CNA").

**GENERAL OBJECTIONS** 

Respondent makes its objections to specific requests set forth in the Subpoena by, among other things, incorporating by reference the following objections (the "General Objections"), as appropriate:

1. Respondent objects to the Subpoena to the extent it purports to impose obligations of disclosure beyond those required by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, or any other applicable statute, regulation, rule or court order.

2. Respondent objects to the Subpoena to the extent it calls for the disclosure of information or the production of documents which may be protected and inadmissible in any action or proceeding or protected by the attorney-client privilege, the work product doctrine, the joint-defense privilege, the common interest privilege or any other applicable privilege, immunity, protection, exemption, statute, regulation, order or rule. The inadvertent disclosure of any

privileged information or production of any documents that are privileged or otherwise protected

and inadmissible shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any applicable privilege with respect to

such information or documents.

3. Respondent objects to the Subpoena to the extent it seeks the disclosure of

information or the production of documents not within the Respondent's knowledge, possession,

custody or control. Respondent has made a reasonably diligent inquiry concerning the subject

matter of the Subpoena.

4. Respondent objects to the Subpoena to the extent it calls for the production of bank

account numbers, routing numbers, and similar information. Respondent reserves its right to

redact said information and notes its intention to do so.

5. Respondent objects to the Subpoena to the extent it calls for the production of

Respondent's commercially sensitive internal financial information as the production of such

information is overly burdensome and harassing. Respondent reserves its right to redact said

information and notes its intention to do so.

6. By agreeing to comply with a particular Request, Respondent represents only that

it has conducted a reasonably diligent search as indicated above and, subject to all objections, is

producing any non-objectionable, non-privileged documents responsive thereto within its

possession, custody or control.

7. In responding to the Subpoena, Respondent neither waives, nor intends to waive,

but expressly reserves: i) any and all objections to the relevance, competence, susceptibility to

discovery, materiality, or admissibility of any documents produced; ii) all rights to object on any

ground to the use of any documents or responses, or the subject matter thereof, in any subsequent

proceedings; and/or iii) all rights to object on any ground to any other subpoena or other, further

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demand for documents or other responses involving or related to the subject matter of the

Subpoena.

8. Respondent objects to Instruction No. 8 to the extent it seeks Documents outside

the scope of the Requests and not otherwise attached to, enclosed with, or accompanying

Documents responsive to the Requests. Respondent further objects to Instruction No. 8 insofar as

it calls for the production of "routing slips, transmittal memos or letters, comments, evaluations,

or similar materials" without defining that string of terms.

9. Respondent objects to Instruction No. 9 to the extent it seeks Documents outside

the scope of the Requests and not otherwise attached to, enclosed with, or accompanying

Documents responsive to the Requests.

10. Respondent objects to Instruction No. 10 to the extent it calls for Respondent to

identify the place, date, and manner of preparation of privileged Documents since the information

is not necessary to assess Respondent's assertion of privilege over those Documents.

11. Respondent reserves the right to amend, modify, and supplement these responses

as appropriate.

**SPECIFIC OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSES** 

**Document Request No. 1:** 

All amendments to the Loan and Security Agreement since September 20, 2021.

**Response To Request No. 1:** 

The documents responsive to this Request were previously produced at Bates-range

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waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will reproduce all non-

privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 2:** 

All drafts of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 2:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's negotiation and preparation of financing agreements has no bearing on the merits of

any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for

the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific

and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents responsive to this

Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 3:** 

All forbearance agreements Relating to obligations under the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 3:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may

have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester

more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections,

Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it has a good faith belief that no documents

responsive to this Request exist.

**Document Request No. 4:** 

All Litigation Funding Agreements to which You are a party (other than the Loan and Security

Agreement).

**Response To Request No. 4:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may

have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester

more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections,

Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it has a good faith belief that no documents

responsive to this Request exist.

**Document Request No. 5:** 

All Documents and Communications exchanged between You and Kensal Green LLC or Raynor Fund LP Relating, in any way, to the provision of financing or loans to You, including the Loan

and Security Agreement, any other Litigation Funding Agreements, and any forbearance

agreements in connection with the foregoing.

**Response To Request No. 5:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's communications with its financing providers have no bearing on the merits of any

claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the

Diocese of Rochester more generally. Respondent further objects to this Request as unduly

burdensome to the extent it requires the production of documents containing commercially

sensitive information regarding Respondent's internal financials. Respondent also objects to the

extent it is duplicative of Request No. 9 and other Requests seeking information exchanged under

the Loan and Security Agreement. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and

General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents responsive to this

Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 6:** 

Documents sufficient to identify the name and address of all parties to the Loan and Security

Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 6:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

the identities of Respondent's contractual counterparties to its financing agreements have no

bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the

Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without

waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-

privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 7:** 

Documents sufficient to identify the name and address of all parties to each Litigation Funding

Agreement of which You are aware.

Response To Request No. 7:

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

the identities of Respondent's contractual counterparties to its financing agreements have no

bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the

Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without

waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent responds that it is unaware of

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the existence of any documents responsive to this Request other than those produced in response

to Request No. 6.

**Document Request No. 8:** 

All Documents Relating to (a) the aggregate amounts received by You, including the dates on which the funds were received, and (b) any outstanding amounts You presently owe, under each

which the funds were received, and (b) any outstanding amounts You presently owe, under each Litigation Funding Agreement to which You are a party, including the Loan and Security

Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 8:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

the amount of financing that Respondent has received has no bearing on the merits of any claims

its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese

of Rochester more generally, except and until such time attorney's fees and costs are awarded.

Respondent further objects to this Request as unduly burdensome to the extent it requires the

production of documents containing commercially sensitive information regarding Respondent's

internal financials. Respondent also objects to this Request to the extent it seeks documents

protected by the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine, and/or any other applicable

privilege. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections,

Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually

agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 9:** 

All Documents You exchanged with the Lender (or its assignees) under the Loan and Security Agreement concerning the First Borrowing, the Second Borrowing, the Third Borrowing, and any

subsequent borrowings (as those terms are used in Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 to the Loan and

Security Agreement), including, without limitation, any fourth, fifth, and/or sixth borrowings.

**Response To Request No. 9:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's communications with its financing providers have no bearing on the merits of any

claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the

Diocese of Rochester more generally. Respondent further objects to this Request as unduly

burdensome to the extent it requires the production of documents containing information regarding

Respondent's internal financials. Respondent also objects to the extent it is duplicative of Request

No. 5 and other Requests seeking information exchanged under the Loan and Security Agreement.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will

produce all non-privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and

place.

**Document Request No. 10:** 

All Documents Relating to the written notices provided to Lender of each distribution made from the Deposit Account and use of any Borrowing amount, and any other detail or information request

under Section 2.02(d) of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 10:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's submissions under its financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any

claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the

Diocese of Rochester more generally. Respondent further objects to this Request as unduly

burdensome to the extent it requires the production of all documents relating to the written notices

identified in the Request, including documents with commercially sensitive information regarding

Respondent's internal financials. Respondent also objects to this Request to the extent it seeks

documents protected by the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine, and/or any other

applicable privilege. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General

Objections, Respondent will produce the written notices provided to Lender at a mutually

agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 11:** 

The Register, as defined in Section 2.12 of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 11:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

the identities of Respondent's counterparties to its financial arrangements have no bearing on the

merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11

proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without waiving the

foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it

has a good faith belief that no documents responsive to this Request exist.

**Document Request No. 12:** 

All Retention Agreements Information, as defined in Section 5.01(c) of the Loan and Security

Agreement, provided by You to the Lender, at any time.

**Response To Request No. 12:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

it seeks all Retention Agreements Information, while the needs of the case may be satisfied by

representative retention agreements and a summary of those agreements. Respondent also objects

to this Request as duplicative of Request Nos. 5, 16, and 20. Subject to and without waiving the

foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents

responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 13:** 

All Documents consisting of or comprising the non-privileged information provided by Borrower

to Lender as described in Section 6.01(i) of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 13:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's negotiation and preparation of the documentation for its financial arrangements has

no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the

Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without

waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-

privileged responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 14:** 

Any notices provided by You to the Lender pursuant to the first sentence of Section 7.01(b) of the

Loan and Security Agreement.

Response To Request No. 14:

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's submissions under its financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any

claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the

Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and

General Objections, Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it has a good faith belief

that no documents responsive to this Request exist.

**Document Request No. 15:** 

All disclosures made by You pursuant to Section 7.01(k) of the Loan and Security Agreement, and

any consents or objections received by You from clients or others in response to such disclosures.

Response To Request No. 15:

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's submissions under its financial arrangements and contractual relationships with its

clients have no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of

Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Respondent

also objects to this Request to the extent it seeks documents protected by the attorney-client

privilege, work product doctrine, and/or any other applicable privilege. Subject to and without

waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-

privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 16:** 

All Documents consisting of or comprising the information You provided in connection with your

obligations under Section 7.02(a) of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 16:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's submissions under its financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any

claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the

Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and

General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents responsive to this

Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 17:** 

All Documents consisting of or comprising the information You provided in connection with your

obligations under Section 7.02(c) of the Loan and Security Agreement.

Response To Request No. 17:

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's submissions under its financial arrangements and contractual relationships with its

clients have no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of

Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Subject to

and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all

non-privileged documents responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

**Document Request No. 18:** 

All Documents consisting of or comprising the information You provided in connection with your

obligations under Section 7.03 of the Loan and Security Agreement.

**Response To Request No. 18:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's financial arrangements have no bearing on the merits of any claims its clients may

have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter 11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester

more generally. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and General Objections,

Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it has a good faith belief that no documents

responsive to this Request exist.

**Document Request No. 19:** 

All updated versions of Exhibit B to the Loan and Security Agreement.

Response To Request No. 19:

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

Respondent's financial arrangements and contractual relationships with its clients have no bearing

on the merits of any claims its clients may have against the Diocese of Rochester or the Chapter

11 proceeding for the Diocese of Rochester more generally. Respondent also objects to the extent

it is duplicative of Request No. 17. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing Specific and

General Objections, Respondent responds that after a reasonable search it has a good faith belief

that no documents responsive to this Request exist, although Respondent will produce the non-

privileged documents most closely resembling the information sought in this Request in response

to other Requests in the Subpoena.

**Document Request No. 20:** 

All retainer agreements between You and Abuse Claimants who You represent.

**Response To Request No. 20:** 

In addition to the foregoing General Objections, Respondent objects to this Request as it

seeks information that is not proportional to the needs of the above-captioned bankruptcy because

it seeks each individual retainer agreement rather than representative examples of such agreements.

Respondent also objects to this Request to the extent it seeks documents protected by the attorney-

client privilege, work product doctrine, and/or any other applicable privilege. Respondent further

objects to the extent it is duplicative of Request No. 12. Subject to and without waiving the

foregoing Specific and General Objections, Respondent will produce all non-privileged documents

responsive to this Request at a mutually agreeable time and place.

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